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SUBJECT:VISAS BUSVIS SOV:SATRA BELARUS

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REF: A). MOSCOW 2339, B). MOSCOW 3274, C). MOSCOW 3358

1. SATRA BELARUS CEASED TO EXIST AS A US-OWNED CORPORATION APRIL 1. IT HAS BEEN REPLACED BY A SOVIET-OWNED COMPANY WHICH WE UNDERSTAND WILL BE CALLED BELARUS MACHINERY INCORPORATED (BMI). SATRA BELARUS IS NOW A SUBSIDIARY OF BMI (SEE STATE 55303 AND PREVIOUS). VISA SUPPORT AND TRAVEL REQUESTS FOR BMI ARE TO BE HANDLED THROUGH AMTORG.

2. ACCORDINGLY, THE DEPARTMENT HAS CONTACTED AMTORG ABOUT THE INDIVIDUALS LISTED IN REFTELS. WE HAVE RECEIVED NO SUPPORT FOR VLADIMIR DMITRIYEV. AMTORG HAS SUGGESTED THAT ALEKSANDR FOKIN REPLACE NIKOLAY KOTENEV WHO WAS WORKING UNDER SATRA BELARUS AUSPICES
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AND THAT BOTH ANATOLIY BIRULYA AND VLADIMIR SAVITSKIY REPLACE LEONID LUKERCHIK, A SECOND SOVIET ASSIGNED TO SATRA BELARUS. WE HAVE ADVISED AMTORG THAT THE TWO-FOR-ONE SUBSTITUTION IS UNACCEPTABLE AND THAT ALL ACTION ON THE VISAS WILL BE HELD UNTIL THIS QUESTION

CAN BE STRAIGHTENED OUT ON THE SOVIET SIDE. VASILYIY

MYSHKOV, DIRECTOR OF V/O TRACTOREXPORT, IS VISITING
AMTORG AND PRESUMABLY WILL TAKE THE OPPORTUNITY TO
SUBMIT AN ACCEPTABLE ARRANEMENT FOR OUR CONSIDERATION
OR DISCUSS THE MATTER WITH US.
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